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Dear Sir:

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In response to the Office Action dated January 18, 2006, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration. To further the prosecution of this application, the rejections have been carefully considered and are addressed below. The application is believed to be in allowable condition.

Initially, Applicants thank Examiner Iwashko and a Primary Examiner for the courtesies extended during the telephone interview of April 5, 2006. The substance of the interview is summarized herein.